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SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
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Enclosed is a Second Preliminary Amendment for the above-identified patent application.

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Independent Claims	12	MINUS 4 =	8	x \$80 = (102)	\$640.00
If Amendment adds multiple dependent claims, add \$270.00 (104)					.00
Total Amendment Fee					\$640.00
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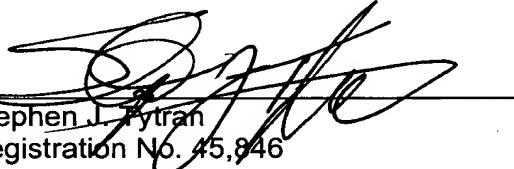
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